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## DEMOCRATS ARE SETTING THE PACE

In Practical Agreement to Put Up Clean, Strong Slate for Voters' Choice.

### CLUBS MET LAST NIGHT

Candidates Include Dr. Raymond, Chan Wilder, Captain Campbell and J. F. Child.

Democratic precinct clubs were all agog last night over nominations of candidates for delegates to the convention, to be voted on next Thursday. The Democrats are talking strong, acting strong and look strong this year. They are in deadly earnest and have some good timber, not to mention some that is not so good and some that is not good at all, from which they intend to build a ticket that will add to the gaiety of the approaching campaign. They are also working together and factional bickerings are very promptly squelched.

Link McCandless, of course, is their candidate for delegate to congress, and there is not one insurgent in the Democratic party who will say him nay when it comes to the nomination.

From yesterday's indications it seems almost as certain that Wade Warren Thayer, attorney and promising young author, will be the choice for city attorney, to run against whomever is put up by the Republican party, and it is likely, 'tis said, that the Home Rulers, if they figure much in the campaign, will endorse the majority of the Democratic nominees, although their organ, the Kuokoa Home Ruler editorially urges the endorsement of Cohen and Kaleiopa for senate and house respectively, should the Republicans nominate them.

For the senate the following are some of the possibilities: Attorney Watson, who was at first spoken of for the position of city attorney but who, like Republican Douthitt, declined the honor; Colonel McCarthy, who wants reelection; Markham, of ice-works fame; Doctor Raymond, who has a backing not confined to Democrats; Chan Wilder, of whom the same thing may be said as has been said of Raymond, without fear of successful contradiction, and John De Fries. Mike Harvey, so the present slate has it arranged, will be run on the Democratic ticket to take the place of his late brother, Frank, in the senate.

For supervisory honors one of the most talked of just now among Democrats is Martin the tailor. Others are Petrie, Palau and Silva, the latter being the undertaker.

Anderson will again try to defeat Bicknell for auditor and Pahu will endeavor to catch more votes than Kalaokalani Jr., for clerk.

Asked why they think anybody has a chance to beat either Bicknell or Kalaokalani, the two old standbys, certain leaders of the Democratic party state that they believe the Democrats can conduct the office work of the city on a less expensive or more economical basis than that upon which it is now conducted. At any rate that is the argument that is to be used on the stump.

It is assured that the following Democrats will be renominated for office: Mayor Fern, Sheriff Jarrett, Deputy Sheriff Rose, Treasurer Trent, Supervisor McClellan and Senator Charles McCarthy.

For the house of representatives some of the possibilities are: Ed. Like of the Fifth, Hanapi, Peopoe, Robert Cathcart, Keawepoole, Damian, Wallie Davis, Keawehaku of the Sixth of the Fourth, Captain Campbell of the Inter-Island Company, and Childs of Davies & Co.

Captain Campbell, it is held, would poll a great vote, being exceedingly popular with all.

Wallie Davis would at least get John K. Sumner's vote and would score a landslide on Rabbit Island.

### WAR DEPARTMENT RULING.

WASHINGTON, August 6.—The war department has ruled that an army officer can not be disciplined for his acts as a cadet of the Military Academy at West Point. A recent graduate at the academy committed a serious offense while he was a cadet and got his commission before it was discovered. The war department holds it is now too late to try him.

## WORKED PASSAGE TO RETURN HOME



GILBERT J. WALLER.

When G. J. Waller, Democratic National Committeeman, makes up his mind to do anything worth doing he generally goes at it with a vigor that succeeds. To return to Honolulu from abroad is certainly something worth doing, and so thought Mr. Waller who last night returned from the big outside world, including London and the United States.

Mr. Waller wanted to make connections with the S. S. Mongolia, but found it impossible for the reason that the big passenger steamship was crowded to the rails. Not wanting to bunk on the rail, Waller hied him to the S. S. Nevada agents and made known his desire to reach the Paradise of the Pacific.

Nothing was doing in the way of carrying passengers, for the reason that the Nevada was carrying explosives and passengers are not carried on explosive boats.

But Waller wanted to reach the mid-Pacific metropolis and so he signed on the Nevada's articles as assistant purser and, as an employee, reached the one destination dear to everybody who was ever in the Hawaiian Islands.

If Waller had come in on the Mongolia he would have beaten the Nevada by less than a dozen hours and now that he is here, he is just as well satisfied.

Assistant Purser Waller landed from the Nevada in the latest London togethery, for it is to London he has been, and no one would have known that he hadn't just stepped out of a suite aboard the Mongolia or the Mauretania, for that matter.

As to what kind of an assistant purser he was, it may be taken for granted that a man of his business experience and devotion to exactitude proved an able assistant and well-earned his passage. The incident goes to show that a man may be well-fixed in this world's goods and still be modest.

## WILL SEE COMMERCIAL CONDITIONS IN CHINA

Pacific Coast Representatives of Commerce Chambers Will Leave Here August 23d.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 12.—Arrangements have been completed by the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce for participating in the coming excursion of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Pacific Coast to China, in response to an invitation extended by the commercial bodies of that country some time ago.

The local chamber will be represented on the trip by President W. L. Gerstle, Robert Dollar and Richard Hotelling. The program calls for departure on the steamer Korea August 23, and in the party will be representatives of the commerce chambers of this city, Oakland, Los Angeles, San Diego, Portland, Seattle, Tacoma and Spokane. On the way over the Honolulu representatives will be picked up.

The membership of the party is limited to about fifty, including the wives of some of the excursionists. According to the itinerary, as mapped out, the party will, after arriving at Shanghai on September 16, visit twenty-two cities in China. Escort will be under the representatives of the Chinese commercial bodies, and every opportunity will be given the visitors to study commercial and other conditions as they exist in the Chinese Empire.

The scope of inspection will also be broadened by assistance which will be given by the consular representatives of the American government in China. Secretary Knox having notified the consuls officially of the coming of the party and requesting them to show every attention to members.

In anticipation of the visit of the Coast party, the Chinese commercial bodies are reported to be making extensive arrangements for their convenience and entertainment, many affairs being arranged in their honor. A feature prepared by the visiting representatives which they think will be appreciated in China, is a series of booklets descriptive of the various sections which the travelers respectively represent. These booklets, which will be profusely illustrated, will be printed with both English and Chinese text and will be distributed freely wherever visits are made.

## READY TO EXTEND BISHOP STREET

Arrangements Completed and Work Will Soon Be Commenced.

All arrangements for the extension of Bishop street makai to the waterfront have been completed, according to a statement made by Superintendent Marston Campbell yesterday afternoon, and the work of opening up the new road will be started within a short time.

Mr. Campbell has sent a cable to Rudolph Spreckels, attorney in fact for the estate of the late Claus Spreckels, to close the deal for the right of way to the harbor front and the superintendent is now only waiting for the receipt of the deed for the land needed before beginning actual operations. The money needed for the project is on hand and the deed is the only thing that is needed. That will probably arrive in a short time.

The extension of the street makai to Beretania will follow closely upon the building of the street to the waterfront. The descriptions of the property to be condemned have all been obtained and only the condemnation proceedings intervene now before the work can be started.

Superintendent Campbell is also preparing to take up the work of widening Hotel street. He is waiting at present for the descriptions of the property involved.

## BALLINGER A VISITOR IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, August 18.—Secretary Ballinger was today the guest of honor at a luncheon given by the chamber of commerce.

## FRANZ JOSEPH WAS 80 YEARS OLD YESTERDAY

VIENNA, Austria, August 18.—The eightieth birthday of Emperor Francis Joseph was celebrated today with great pomp and circumstance.

## ANNIVERSARY WAS QUIETLY OBSERVED



EMPEROR FRANCIS JOSEPH.

Austria's flag floated from the consulate on Merchant street, over the building of F. A. Schaefer & Co., yesterday, in honor of the eightieth anniversary of the birth of Francis Joseph. Other consulates flew their flags and the Stars and Stripes, celebration size, waved over the capital. Congratulations were offered Consul Schaefer and the Hawaiian band last night at the Seaside rendered a program specially arranged for the anniversary.

Emperor Francis Joseph was born August 13, 1830, and became ruler on December 2, 1848. He has reigned for 62 years or since he was a boy of 18. He was proclaimed Emperor of Austria after the abdication of his uncle, Ferdinand I, and was crowned King of Hungary, June 8, 1867. He married a daughter of Duke Maximilian of Bavaria. She died by the hand of an anarchist in Geneva, in 1898. Their children were Archduchess Gisela, who married the son of the Bavarian regent; Archduke Rudolph, who died by suicide; and Archduchess Marie Valerie who married the Archduke Francis-Salvator of Tuscany.

## ACCIDENT PREVENTS LONG FLIGHT BY AVIATOR

CHATHAM, England, August 18.—An accident delayed the intended flight of Aviator Moissant on his proposed trip to London.

Maj. E. Eveleth Winslow, engineer corps, is detailed for consultation with the superintendent of aids to navigation in the Hawaiian light-house district, and Maj. Jay J. Morrow, engineer corps, to the Alaskan light-house district.

## EVENTS MAY "FORCE" HIM BACK INTO WHITE HOUSE



THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Who regards the split in the administration as "Serious."

## BIG NUUANU DAM COST \$298,563.86

Governor Frear Says It Is Worth Two or Three Times That.

The Nuuanu dam cost the Territory the sum of \$298,563.86, according to figures furnished Governor Frear by Auditor Fisher. Of this amount \$295,493.24 came from loan funds and \$3070.62 is charged up as current expenses, such as added office expense and so forth.

"I estimate that the dam is worth two or three times what it cost," said Governor Frear yesterday afternoon. "More than that, it is already saving the county a lot of money."

In addition to its value as an investment and the saving to the county, the dam has obviated any risk of a shortage of water in Honolulu, according to a statement made recently by Superintendent Marston Campbell. At no time this summer has it been necessary to restrict the use of water for irrigating lawns, as has been the rule in past years, and Mr. Campbell says that he does not think it will ever again be necessary to shut down on the use of irrigating water. At the same time, he wants it understood that residents of the city are not to be allowed to waste the water, for while there is enough for all practical purposes, excessive waste might possibly create a shortage, and would certainly run up the expenses of the department.

## HELGA'S WRECKAGE STREWS SHORE

Barkentine Being Crushed by Pounding of the Foaming Seas.

The wreck of the Helga is scattered all along Waikiki beach, the sand being strewn with huge timbers, some of them eighteen inches square, that have been wrenched from the hull as if they had been toothpicks by the enormous power of the seas that break over what is left of the vessel.

Coal is being washed ashore by the ton and all day yesterday a swarm of outrigger canoes was busy picking it up out of the shallow water and transporting it to the shore. A large number of Hawaiians and Japanese are engaged in rescuing the coal and many of them will undoubtedly lay by a tidy sum as the reward of their industry.

Some of the beach dwellers have put their servants to work dragging the huge broken timbers above high tide to have them cut up into firewood. This seems to be about the only way to get rid of them, as the current carries them in.

## BARON K. AURA ON HIS WAY HOME

Has Been in London in Charge of Japanese Section of Big Exhibition.

On his way home to Japan after attending the Anglo-Japanese exhibition in London, Baron K. Aura, Japanese Minister of State for Agriculture, is expected to pass through Honolulu next Monday.

Baron Aura is an ardent peace advocate. Talk of war between Japan and the United States he characterizes as foolish. Just before leaving New York he was interviewed and said:

"The very notion of war between Japan and the United States is contrary to the now ingrained spirit of our people. Respect, affection—these words are not strong enough to describe the feeling of the Japanese for the United States. Our people venerate the United States. There is none in my country who does not recognize the debt we owe to America. Moreover, our hands are full. Japan has many big problems before her at home. The last of our thoughts is for war. For aggressive war we have no thought at all."

The Baron continued: "You accuse us of piling up armaments, but you are setting an example. 'You must do as we do,' is what the other nations say to us, and we can not help ourselves. It is not for us to begin, but we would follow."

"We want no more war. In one generation we have had two wars. Our wounds are recent. We have problems enough at home to solve without seeking to make more."

"Labor with us is cheap. Our people heard of the chances in this country and naturally wanted to embrace them. But now the opportunities at home are good. Therein lies one of our greatest problems. But there is no soreness against America because you ask our people to remain at home. You forget that with us it has become an instinct for home and country before all else."

"Our industries are developing so rapidly," he continued, "it is incumbent on us to retain this labor. We have not enough. All over the agricultural population is rushing to the growing cities. We, too, will soon need our 'back to the farm' movement, so various is the problem becoming."

The Japanese statesman will be accompanied by General Manager Shirashi, of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha line, returning from a conference with Western Pacific officials regarding the new traffic arrangements of his company.

## WASHINGTON STATUE UNVEILED IN PARIS

VERSAILLES, France, August 18.—The statue of George Washington presented to France by the State of Virginia was unveiled here today with fitting ceremony.

## ROOSEVELT MAY RUN AGAIN IN 1912

Friends Say He May be Compelled to Enter Race for Sake of Harmony.

### TO AVOID FACTIONAL FIGHTS

Son-in-law Nick Against Cannon and Taft Expected to Follow Suit in Short Time.

OYSTER BAY, August 19.—Colonel Roosevelt announced to friends yesterday afternoon that recent developments in Republican national politics may force him to enter the race for the Presidency again in 1912.

The ex-President held many conferences during the day, and all the talk was in connection with the political situation Colonel Roosevelt said it was his intention to keep out of factional fights, in his own State and elsewhere, at the present time. He considered the split in the administration very serious. The announcement that Roosevelt may run for President in the next campaign was a bomb in many political camps, and it set politicians all over the country guessing.

### Nick Opposed to Cannon.

BEVERLY, Massachusetts, August 18.—Congressman Nicholas Longworth of Ohio made a sensational statement here today that is believed to be the signal of President Taft's open opposition to Speaker Cannon.

Mr. Longworth, after a conference with the President, gave the newspaper men a formal statement, in which he declares that he will never again support Speaker Cannon. He further says that he will oppose the reelection of Speaker Cannon.

This, coming from a man who has been one of Cannon's staunchest supporters and a regular of the most pronounced type, is believed to be the opening gun of a war on Cannon that is to be made by the administration.

### Uncle Joe Is Silent.

DANVILLE, Illinois, August 18.—Speaker Cannon, when shown the dispatch from Beverly today, seemed undisturbed. The Speaker stated that it would be time enough for him to answer when the President makes a statement repudiating the Speaker over his own hand.

### Taft Visits Draper.

HOPEDALE, Massachusetts, August 19.—President Taft was the guest yesterday of Governor Draper.

## THE RETURNS INDICATE NOMINATION OF WORKS

SAN FRANCISCO, August 18.—Analysis of the returns from the primary elections show that the insurgent Republicans have nominated a sufficient number of their candidates to control the legislature, if they are finally elected. This tends to assure the election of Judge Works as United States senator.

## ITALIAN RULERS DISPLAY ANXIETY OVER CHOLERA

TURIN, August 19.—King Victor Emmanuel III. and Queen Helena are displaying great anxiety over the outbreak of cholera in this part of Italy, and it is probably they will visit the stricken district. Forty-four have died of cholera, according to the latest reports.

## BARONESS VAUGHN GETS SUCCESSOR TO LEOPOLD

PARIS, August 19.—Baroness Vaughn, who claimed to be the morganatic wife of the late King Leopold of Belgium, was married here yesterday to Emmanuel Durioux, a retired merchant of this city.

## AMERICAN WOMAN HELD UP IN SWITZERLAND

SAINT MORITZ, August 19.—Mrs. Daniel Buess, of New York city, who is touring Switzerland with her sister Lady Gilbert Parker, wife of the novelist and member of parliament, was held up by bandits yesterday and robbed of \$45,000 worth of jewelry.